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BOARD AGREES WITH COUNCIL

Asphalt Companies Should not be Barred

COMPETITION IS DESIRED

Even Though the Residents Petition for Brick Paving

A Large Number of Sidewalks are to be Laid and Sewer Constructed During Coming Summer.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Public Service last night the clerk was instructed to advertise for bids for a large number of sandstone sidewalks, sanitary sewers, and for the paving of Girard avenue from Columbia street to Bellefontaine avenue. The bids will be received and opened May 14.

The bond and contract of O. J. Noble, who will lay about a half mile of sidewalk and street crossings, was approved by the board.

Sanitary sewers will be constructed on Pearl street, between Bellefontaine avenue and the corporation line; on Grand avenue, between Church street and Indiana avenue; and on South Prospect street, between Walnut street and the corporation line. The sidewalks will be laid on the east side of Pies avenue to the south line of lot No. 4557; on the east side of Pies avenue from Bennett street to the south line of lot No. 4557; Herr street, east side, from Silver to Edwards street; the north side of Walnut street from Main to Prospect street; both sides of Main street, from Walnut street to McKinley park; on the east side of Patterson street from George to Farming street; on the east side of Cleveland avenue from Walnut street to Superior street, and on the west side of Pearl street from Bellefontaine avenue to Prospect street.

In talking over the street crossing proposition the members of the board decided that the crossings on Davids street will be built first because of the new ball park which will take many persons out in that section of the city. On the other streets, ones who have been waiting longest for the walks will be first taken care of.

Grand avenue will be paved with bituminous brick block. The members of the board agreed with several of the councilmen that the asphalt companies should be allowed to bid on the street paving even where the property owners want brick laid. In this way the competition will be stronger and even though they finally decide to use brick on the streets, the property owners will receive the benefit of the competition.

Clerk Fies told the members of the board that only fifteen days notice is necessary for sidewalk improvements and only five days for street repairs. In the past it has been the custom to give thirty days' notice for improvements and ten days' notice for repairs.

The Board of Health considered time talking over the various improvements planned for the parks of the city which have already been mentioned in the Mirror. The work is progressing nicely and by warm weather all of the public playgrounds will be in a very satisfactory condition.

The Board of Health considered a number of minor questions regarding the sanitary condition of the city. Five new cases of measles and one of case of pneumonia were reported by the health officer.

BEWARE OF OINTMENTS FOR CATARRH THAT CONTAINS MERCURY.

As mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

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MISSIONARY SOCIETY

Of Epworth Church will Meet Thursday Afternoon.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society of Epworth M. E. church, will hold its regular monthly meeting and quarterly social in the parlors of the church Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Work in the South will be the topic for study. The following program will be rendered:
Singing—Hymn 904.
Devotionals—Mrs. C. E. Smith.
Singing—"When He Cometh, When He Cometh."
Business.

Installation of Officers—Rev. Bailey.
Paper, "A Study in Black and White"—Mrs. W. A. Longhough.
Recitation—Mrs. Windhurst.
Leaflet, "A Good Sample"—Mrs. F. Olick.
Solo—Mrs. C. F. Church.
Supper will be served in the basement of the church from five to seven o'clock.

Cured Rheumatism.

Mr. Wm. Henry, of Chattanooga, Tenn., had rheumatism in his left arm. "The strength seemed to have gone out of the muscles so that it was useless for work," he says. "I applied Chamberlain's Pain Balm and wrapped the arm in flannel at night, and to my relief I found that the pain gradually left me and the strength returned. In three weeks the rheumatism had disappeared and has not since returned." If troubled with rheumatism try a few applications of Pain Balm. You are certain to be pleased with the relief which it affords. For sale by all druggists.

TRANSFER IS MADE

Coal and Lumber Business Turned Over to New Firm.

The directors of the Prendergast Lumber & Coal company held a meeting, Tuesday evening, and took formal action on the transfer of the company's local lumber and coal business to the new Wollenweber company, a deal which was completed several weeks ago. By a unanimous vote the deal was approved and the secretary was directed to notify the secretary of state that the old company has surrendered its charter.

The Prendergast company is continuing its wholesale lumber and coal business with offices in the Huber building.

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MRS. J. BEERBOWER

Insists That Her Son Percy Did Not Commit Suicide.

In a letter to a Marion friend, which was received yesterday, Mrs. Janis Beerbower, mother of Elsie Janis, and of Percy Beerbower, the account of whose death on an ocean liner appeared in this paper, insists that there is no reason to believe that her son committed suicide.

She says that he was plentifully supplied with money and friends, was going to an excellent position and was comfortably situated on the boat. His mother and sister had expected to join him in the course of a month or two.

Things That Count.

Let the weakest, let the humblest remember, that in his daily course he can, if he will, shed around him almost a heaven. Kindly words, sympathizing attentions, watchfulness against wounding men's sensitivities, these cost very little, but they are priceless in their value. Are they not almost the staple of our daily happiness? From hour to hour, from moment to moment, we are supported, blessed, by small kindnesses.

Marriage an "Endurance Thrill."

"Th' trouble about matrimony, as I have observed it in me and in the 'gran' stand, is that after fifteen or twenty years it settles down to an endurance thrill. 'Women,' as Hogan says, 'are creatures of such beautiful mien, that to be loved they have but to be seen; but, he says, 'want they're seen an' made secure.' he says, 'we first embrace, then pity, then endure,' he says."—"Dorothy," in Harper's.

To Encourage Thrift.

A New York man has just patented a device for the encouragement of thrift. It consists of a toy savings bank with a clock attachment. The clock is set in the face of the bank and cannot be wound unless a dime is dropped in the slot. As winding causes the time to fall into the vault and the clock will run but 24 hours without rewinding the contrivance assures an accumulation of 70 cents a week. The theory is that the necessity of depositing a dime every day will lead to slipping in other coins at odd moments and thus establish a habit of saving.

NEED FLEET OF AIRSHIPS.

British Officer Calls It a Necessity for the Country.

Col. J. E. Capper, who is in command of the balloon section at Aldershot, England, is quoted as saying that "the British government for many months past has been making experiments with a view to a possible aerial war, and arrangements are already in progress for the formation of a home and attacking fleet of airships. Between 400 and 500 men are being trained for service in Britain's future aerial fleet. This aerial force will consist of balloons, kites and aeroplanes."

He adds: "An aerial section to our army is not the mere hobby of ambitious inventors, but is an absolute necessity if we are to continue to hold the same position in the world which we do now. If once the British people really wake up and take an intelligent and business-like interest in flying machines we shall make great strides toward solving the aerial problem and toward the construction of an aerial branch to our flying force."

"I do not wish to prophesy, but in the future—perhaps some 20 years hence—airships will be so common that there will be legislation for them in the same way as there is now for motor cars and other road traffic."

IRISH AND SCOTCH HUMOR.

Dissertation by Great Writer on the Two Schools.

Life is grave. But it is a good thing to laugh. In Ireland the humor is of a kind that is not found beyond the soil of the emerald isle, writes Ian MacLaren. The Irish act as if every one of them had been stood on his head so that his thoughts would be unusual, and perhaps this same is best illustrative of Irish humor. It is unusual. The essential character of Irish wit is drollery. But that of Scotch wit is its irony, somberness, its searching character. To put your finger on Scotch humor and define it is like catching the fragrance of a flower in the hand. English intelligence hardly ever grasps it. An Englishman merely suspects it. It is thorough and irresistible—not fun, drollery or wit. To illustrate: An Englishman is always "comme il faut" at a wedding. In dress, speech, etc., while the Scotchman takes the lead at funerals. A Scotchman never knows how to blend, as it were. He can't express his thoughts. Black is his congenial color. His face accords—but it is not black in color. It is the atmosphere of the awfulness of life in a funeral.

The Manners of American Women.

"I have often wondered, say, if the address of so many of the persons of either sex serving in so many of the shops had originally come after or come before the address of so many of their customers of both sexes. I had held my breath on certain occasions to hear these parties all imperiously stand and bark at each other (since that affected me, inevitably, as the nearest image for their intercourse); and would have given worlds to be able to make out, in the spirit of the historian, which, in the bright morning of our national life, could possibly have begun it. One of them must, the hearer could but helplessly suppose, a consensus, a coincidence more precipitate and instinctive was too difficult to imagine. No, one of them had to be responsible for the other, since what social order with any self-respect would consent to be responsible for both? There were times when I inclined, on certain showings, to lay the burden on the shop people; but then, again, as sundry accents from the other side of the counter smote my ear, who would be so bold?"—"Mr. Henry James, in Harper's Bazar."

"Drunk" in French.

The French have some interesting smiles of their own corresponding to our "drunk as a lord" or "drunk as a wheelbarrow." The most generally recognized one in the case of "ivre," the less extreme and less vulgar word for "drunk," is "ivre comme une soupe"—"soupe" meaning the piece of bread eaten with soup as well as the soup itself, and a "bouillon" soaked piece of bread offering a natural simile for saturation. When the less delicate "soul" is used instead of "ivre," the Frenchman may speak of being as drunk as an ass, a cow, a Swiss, or a thrush. The allusion in the last case is to the fondness of thrushes for grapes, which are said at vintage time to make them unsteady in their flight.

Daring Woman Explorer.

Mrs. Theodore Bent, whose appearance suggests rather the drawing-room than trackless deserts, has outstripped many a male explorer in her daring and her defiance of fatigue and danger. Not long ago when she was traveling with her husband in South Africa, she had many a narrow escape from cowardly bullets, and once

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Awkward Politeness.

Caller—So sorry to hear of your motor accident.

Enthusiastic Motorist—Oh, thanks; it's nothing. Expect to live through many more.

Caller—Oh, but I trust not.

TALL HATS FOR SAVAGES.

Striking Costumes Worn by Semi-Civilized Potentates on State Occasions.

The manner and occasion of wearing the garments of civilization sometimes chosen by savage chieftains and semi-civilized potentates have often proved a source of mirth.

Perhaps the palm for a unique combination still belongs to that state usque Polynesian native who honored a state function by appearing in a stovepipe hat, the rest of his costume consisting of postage stamps, abundantly and artistically applied in elegant patterns over his entire person. Still other striking effects have been attained.

Robert P. Skinner, who was sent lately on a mission to Abyssinia, relates that, having presented an American flag to Atto Paulos, a hospitable official person, far removed from savagery, he received this gracious acknowledgment of the gift:

"I appreciate this more than anything you could give me. It is the proudest decoration I could possibly own. I shall ask the emperor for the right to accept it, as we cannot accept anything of this sort without authorization, and he will say 'yes.' Then I shall wear it about my shoulders every feast day."

The tall hats which the Americans wore at the court of Menelik evoked much admiration, says the Youth's Companion, as indeed tall hats have always to do in lands unfamiliar with their peculiar rigid dignity. One which a provincial ruler of the country had been, they learned, so highly appreciated that it was at once sent to the court jeweler and the brim encircled with a row of emeralds.

When, on breaking camp for the last time, the party bestowed various articles of attire on their faithful Abyssinian servants, they found that even pink pajamas were less thankfully received than old hats. Mr. Skinner gave his own hat to Atto Pito, chief muliteer and general utility man.
"He knelt at once, before he could be prevented," the embarrassed commissioner records, "and kissed the donor on both feet. Then he drew his snowy white chamma about him, placed one hand upon his long curved sword and strode forth, with the silk hat on the back of his head, to resume the prosaic occupation of a railroad track boss."

Rule That Works Both Ways.

Perfection exists not only in doing extraordinary things, but in doing ordinary things extraordinarily well.

She Should Drink First.

Mr. Bok says no gentleman should ever take a drink before his wife.—Houston Post.

What's an "Eye-Opener."

A Massachusetts man pawned his glass optic for a drink. He must have wanted an eye-opener.—Exchange.

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